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Subject: RE: Juneau County Report

I think they may as well be the same ... I'm not wedded to the language, just trying to make sure we stay consistent

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I understood that what Josh and I edited yesterday was for the desk statement. I think Cheryl noted the website needed updating. They probably could be the same

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Shouldn't the update be the language that was drafted yesterday? Or does it still need editing?

August 2018 Update

EPA has finalized its Sampling Inspection Report related to the results of May 2018 groundwater testing conducted in Juneau County. EPA's tests – and others conducted by the county health department -- found elevated levels of nitrates. The Sampling Inspection Report summarizes EPA's groundwater screening investigation with descriptions of sampling preparation and methods and discussions of sampling results including maps. Region 5 continues to work with Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources to determine appropriate next steps.

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We have scanned and completed the OCR. We are currently doing a last check for any possible PII. We should be done within an hour.

The website statement should also be updated to something like:

Update – August 2018

EPA has released the NE Juneau County Groundwater Sampling Inspection Report for the sampling conducted April 30 through May 3, 2018 which contains additional information related the groundwater sampling conducted in Juneau County, Wisconsin. EPA's tests and others conducted by the county health department found elevated levels of nitrates. Region 5 continues to work with Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources to determine appropriate next steps.

From: Reshkin, Karen

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The bar for 508 is relatively low; if the document is available as an electronic file such as a Word document, then it can be turned into a PDF that will be 508-compliant.

If we don't have that, then we're obliged to scan it, and do OCR (optical character recognition) on it. Acrobat can do that in a matter of minutes (more pages, more minutes, but certainly not a week).

Doing a really good job would mean a human going back through the document after OCR and double-checking, clearing up anything that Acrobat flags as uncertain (maybe a blurry page).

I recommend posting your OCR'd PDF today and then if you want to take time and comb through the document to do a proper job, we replace the file with that one when it is ready.

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We are making a text searchable pdf. Erik is working on it. I am not aware of 508. This is new to me. If that is the case, I understand that would take a week or more based on what Erik has described.

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Please send a request to **r5websupport** and indicate high importance in the subject line. It will probably be Yvette Pina who handles it, or Jennifer Ostermeier. They are both pros.

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Karen, who's around today who can help with this?

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Importance: High

Good morning, Jeff. According to Pat, the report is 3 inches thick with all of the data. Because it's going on the web, it needs to be 508 compliant, correct? I've asked Erik Sulej in GWDWB to scan it so that it's 508 compliant...I assume he knows how to do that. Is there someone working today in OPA who can put the document on our website? Just trying to get the logistics worked out on whether this can all happen today. I'm working until 11, but Debbie is in the office today. Thanks.

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